

# Multi-Particle Effects

- Examples:
  - space-charge (beam self force)
  - Beam-beam (for colliders)
  - Electron cloud
- For a self-consistent model, we need to calculate forces at every step
  - Beam changes as it goes through the lattice
  - Beam changes from the multi-particle effects

# Particle Force calculation

- Brute force: particle-particle method
  - This is an order  $N^2$  calculation
- Particle-Mesh calculation
  - Distribute particles on a mesh, calculate forces, etc, on this mesh
  - This is an order  $N \log(N)$  calculation
- Particle-Particle-Particle-Mesh
  - Hybrid (PP for close neighbors, PM for further away)

# Particle Mesh Steps

- Define a grid
  - Grid spacing should match model requirements. Multi-scale or adaptive will do better
- Assign charge to the mesh
  - Various schemes
- Solve field equations on the mesh
  - Various solvers
- Calculate mesh-defined force field
- Interpolate to find force on particles
  - Various schemes

# Various comments...

- Charge deposition scheme and force interpolation scheme should be the same, or in general self-forces (particle on itself) will be generated
- Solvers: a very rich field. We will touch on finite difference/linear algebra and FFT.

# More comments

- In general, for beams it is sufficient to solve the Poisson equation
  - Transform to the beam rest frame
  - For two beams (beam-beam) take turns on each beam's frame
- For plasmas, you need fully EM solvers.